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The DHS Office for Bombing Prevention (OBP) [Virtual Instructor-Led Training \(VILT\) December Course Schedule](#) has been published.

OBP Virtual Instructor-Led Training (VILT) Awareness Courses – [December Schedule Open for Registration](#)

The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA), Office for Bombing Prevention (OBP) and the Center for Domestic Preparedness have partnered to provide bombing prevention awareness learning opportunities for first responders, public safety personnel, and private sector partners through Virtual Instructor-Led Training (VILT). VILT courses provide basic bombing prevention information ranging from IED construction and classification to the terrorist attack cycle. All [online virtual training courses](#) are conducted with a live instructor, using the Homeland Security Information Network (HSIN) Connect feature. Participants can connect either as a HSIN member or guest (does not require a HSIN membership). VILTs are great for participants with time constraints as most classes are approximately one-hour in length and can be taken independently.

Classes are open to anyone. For more information and to register for a course visit the [OBP VILT Schedule/Registration Page](#) at: <https://cdp.dhs.gov/obp>. Select the desired course and date from the listings and you will be automatically directed to the online application process. Registration must be completed two business days prior to class start date. A FEMA Student Identification (SID) number and Password are required to apply. If you don't have a FEMA SID one can be obtained by going to: <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid/register>. Please visit the [OBP VILT Schedule/Registration Page](#) to view a 90 day schedule.

Be sure to upload all completed certificates to your KS-Train account!